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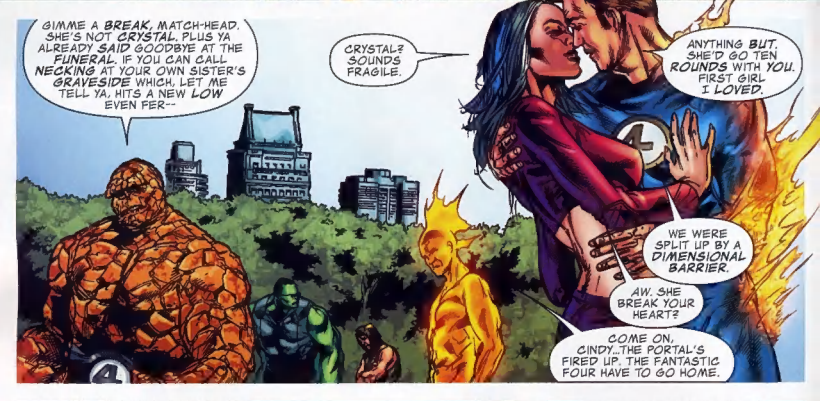
SHE DID. IT'S BEAUTIFUL. SOMETHING TO LIVE FOR. SOMETHING WORTH DYING FOR.
HEY, CUT IT OUT, SUZIE. JUST CAUSE SOME FUTURE YOU DIED TO GET 'EM HERE DOESN'T HAVE TO MEAN YOU'RE GONNA DIE. IT'S JUST ANOTHER ONE OF THEM CRAZY ALTERNATE PARALLEL SITUATIONS RIGHT, REED?
ABSOLUTELY. NEVER GOING TO HAPPEN.


GIMME A BREAK, MATCH-HEAD. SHE'S NOT CRYSTAL. PLUS YA ALREADY SAID GOODBYE AT THE FUNERAL. IF YOU CAN CALL NECKING AT YOUR OWN SISTER'S GRAVESIDE WHICH, LET ME TELL YA, HITS A NEW LOW EVEN FER--
CRYSTAL? SOUNDS FRAGILE.
ANYTHING BUT. SHE'D GO TEN ROUNDS WITH YOU. FIRST GIRL I LOVED.
WE WERE SPLIT UP BY A DIMENSIONAL BARRIER.
AW. SHE BREAK YOUR HEART?
COME ON, CINDY...THE PORTAL'S FIRED UP. THE FANTASTIC FOUR HAVE TO GO HOME.

YOU'LL HAVE THOSE NUMBERS WHEN I VISIT, RIGHT? I WANT TO CHECK OUT THAT SPIDER GUY.
I'LL GIVE 'EM TO YOUR OLD MAN.
THAT WOULD BE APPRECIATED, JOHNNY.

SEE YOU IN FIVE HUNDRED YEARS. WELL, MAYBE NOT EXACTLY, BUT...YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN.

IF YOU NEED HELP, JUST HOLLER.
WAIT! STOP THEM! DON'T LET THEM GO!
WHAT THE HELL--
ARE WE CUT OFF FROM EARTH NOW?
THERE GOES THE GENE POOL.
TIME YOU GOT OFF YOUR HERO FETISH, CINDY. PLENTY OF GOOD MEN HERE.
ALYSSA, WHAT'S GOING ON? YOU NEVER SAID THE DIMENSIONAL PORTAL WAS UNSTABLE!
IT WASN'T. HE'S DESTROYED IT. NOW THERE'S NO WAY FOR US TO GET REINFORCEMENTS.
WHOA! I THOUGHT THE FIGHTING WAS OVER.
GLAD TO HEAR IT.
TED, THIS ISN'T THE ANSWER.
JUST A PRECAUTION, HONEY. I DON'T WANT ANY TROUBLE. BUT YOUR GUESTS HAVE LONG OUTSTAYED THEIR WELCOME.
GUESTS?
THIS WORLD IS PRIVATE PROPERTY. YOU'RE ALL TRESPASSING. I HAVE THE INJUNCTION RIGHT HERE.
THEY'VE GOT NOWHERE TO GO, TED.
THIS IS ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION. THIS IS AN INVASION. YOU CAN'T JUST PITCH TENT ANY CENTURY THAT GRABS YOU.
WHO IS THIS CREEP?

LADY ASKED A QUESTION, BUB.
WHAT ARE YOU-- THE WELCOMING COMMITTEE?
NO, "HOODED MAN." OR WOLVERINE. OR WEAPON X OR WHATEVER IT IS YOU'RE CALLING YOURSELF THESE DAYS.
THIS IS THE WELCOMING COMMITTEE.
THIS IS MY EX-HUSBAND, TED CASTLE. HE BUILT NU-WORLD. HE RUNS THE EARTH TRUST, LOGAN. THEY OWN IT.
THAT'S CRAZY. WHO OWNS A PLANET?
MONEY, HONEY.
AAGH! WHAT THE $%&# IS THAT?!
THE QUICKEST WAY TO MAKE YOU UNDERSTAND OUR POSITION, MR. CASTLE, IS IF YOU JUST LOOK INSIDE OUR MINDS, AND THEN YOU'LL SEE WHY WE REALLY HAD NO CHOICE--
GET OUTTA MY HEAD! I KNOW WHY YOU'RE HERE. YOU DON'T LIKE WHERE YOU LIVE, YOU WANT TO UPGRADE, I GET IT. WELCOME TO THE HUMAN RACE. THIS IS WHY WE HAVE BORDERS.
CINDY, CAN YOU GET ME UP THERE? WE WON'T SETTLE THIS BY YELLING AT EACH OTHER.

TED, BE REASONABLE. WE'RE TALKING EIGHT BILLION PEOPLE.
THIS IS MY LIFE'S WORK, ALYSSA. THIS IS MY DREAM. NOT THEIRS.
THEY'RE REFUGEES!
DOESN'T GIVE THEM THE RIGHT TO STEAL A PLANET, AND YOU'RE AN ACCESSORY. YOU GAVE THEM OUR COORDINATES. YOU'RE IN A LOT OF TROUBLE WITH THE BOARD.
IS THIS JERK SERIOUS?
TELL YOUR HUSBAND WE BURNED OUT THE POWER OF GALACTUS TO GET HERE. THERE'S NO WAY TO SEND US BACK.
SAVE YOUR BREATH. I'VE SEEN THAT LOOK BEFORE. HE'S NOT BUYING.
WE'VE GOT A HOLDING CENTER ON NU-MOON. YOU'LL BE MADE COMFORTABLE UNTIL WE CAN DEPORT YOU.
YOU GOT IT BACKWARD, PAL.
GET OFF OUR PLANET.
I'M REALLY SORRY ABOUT THE FUTURE. BUT THIS IS NOW. AND YOU DON'T BELONG HERE.
EVEN IF YOU HAD A MILLION OF THESE STORMTROOPERS HOW ARE YOU GOING TO ROUND UP EIGHT BILLION PEOPLE?
THESE BAILIFFS AREN'T HERE TO HARASS THE INNOCENT. THEY'RE HERE TO TAKE CARE OF THE RINGLEADERS.

WHOOPEE. I THINK HE MEANS US, FOLKS.
SO GIVE THE ORDER, TOUGH GUY.
WITH PLEASURE.
LOGAN, LET HIM GO! HE'S GOING TO--
YEEAAARGH!!
ARREST EVERYONE!!

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT...
STAY IN THERE, NATALIE. FIND OUT WHAT HIS GAME PLAN IS.
AAAGH! WHERE'S MY BACKUP??
YES, HE'S HIDING SOMETHING. THIS IS A DIVERSIONARY TACTIC. I JUST NEED A SECOND TO BREAK THROUGH AND FIND OUT WHAT HE'S REALLY--
AAAIIEEEEEE!
NATALIE!
IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD AN ATTORNEY--
SQUAAARK!

THAT'S WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT, SON. THAT'S A GUY IN TOUCH WITH HIS EMOTIONS. AND HE'S A MACHINE.
THAT'S NICE, DAD, BUT WHILE YOU REAL MEN HAVE BERSERKER RAGES, SOMEONE HAS TO WORK THE PROBLEM. YOU MIND SHORTING THIS FOR ME?
WHAT HAVE YOU GOT?
I COUNT THREE HEAVY DUTY WAR MACHINES. THEY'RE GOING FOR THE CORE.
HEAT SHIELD AT CAPACITY.
5K MARKER ACQUIRED.
I HAVE VISUAL.
GAME OVER, LOGAN! YOU'RE NOT THE ONLY ONE KNOWS HOW TO PLAY HARDBALL!
WHAT HAVE YOU DONE?
JUST GIVING YOUR GATECRASHERS A LITTLE INCENTIVE TO LEAVE.
HOW DEEP IS THIS PLANET ANYWAY?

"ONCE MY DREADNOUGHT CREW UNCOUPLE THE POWER CORE THIS PLANET BECOMES A FROZEN ROCK. LET'S SEE HOW LONG YOU SETTLERS WANT TO HANG HERE THEN."
SELECTING TARGET.
RIGHT HERE, UGLIES.
WATCH THE FURNITURE, CINDY!!
RRRUUMMMMBBLLE
TED, ARE YOU CRAZY? NU-WORLD CAN'T TAKE ANY QUAKE HIGHER THAN A 7.9!
YOU'D RATHER DESTROY THIS PLACE THAN SHARE IT?
YOUR CHOICE.

HONEY, WHAT HAPPENED-- YOU GET FEEDBACK?
'SCUSE ME, ALEX I NEED TO BORROW SOMETHING.
COME ON, MAN, YOU KNOW I HATE THAT.
SORRY, BUT YOU'RE THE ONLY PIECE OF TWENTY-SIXTH CENTURY TECH WE'VE GOT HERE.
THIS IS THE LAST TIME YOU PUT YOUR BIG GREEN MITT UP MY SKIRT, MAN. I'M NOT KIDDING.
IT'S NO FUN FOR ME EITHER.
YOU DON'T REALLY NEED THIS.
YOU SAID THAT ABOUT MY EMOTION CAP.
I WANT IT BACK LIKE YOU FOUND IT.
NICE GOING, TED. YOU RENTED YOUR ROBOT ARMY FROM ALL THE SUPERSCUM OF THE EARTH. HEY ROB, YOU WANNA PIECE OF THIS?
LITTLE BUSY HERE, DAD.

LIKE THIS?
YOU GOT IT.
YOU DID THIS MOVE WITH WHO?
HE LOOKED LIKE YOU. SHINY. BIT CHUNKIER. RUSSIAN ACCENT.
WHAT'S RUSSIAN?
THIS ONE'S FOR YOU, PETE!

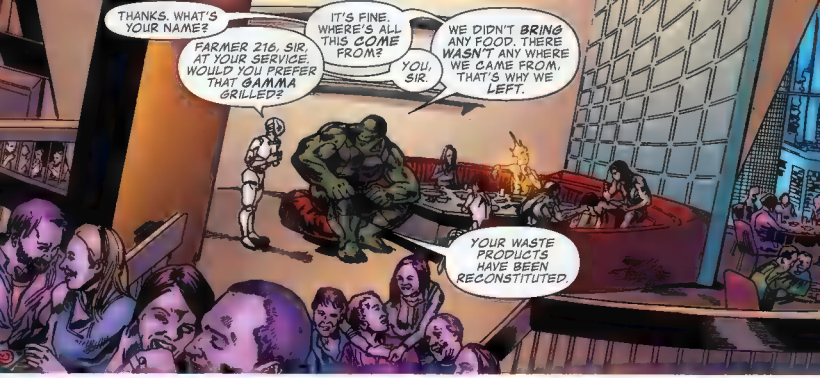

IT'S NO GOOD! WE CAN'T CUT LOOSE ON THESE BOZOS WITHOUT TRASHING THE CORE OURSELVES
MISSION UPDATE: TWO ADAMANTIUM CORE CONNECTORS HAVE BEEN DECOMMISSIONED. FINAL CORE CONNECTOR IMMINENT.
TRY AND FOCUS, CINDY. YOU DON'T HAVE TO GIVE IT ALL YOU'VE GOT.

UGH! ANY LESS AND WE'RE DOG MEAT.

OKAY, CREW. STAND-BY TO TELEPORT TO EMERGENCY BACKUP PORTAL. CORE WILL BE OFFLINE IN MOMENTS.
LISTEN UP, INVADERS. IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS THIS ENTIRE PLANET WILL MAKE PLUTO LOOK LIKE MIAMI. SO EITHER YOU HAUL YOUR ASS TO NU-MOON AND WAIT FOR DEPORTATION OR YOU FREEZE.
YOU AND US BOTH, BUB.
HIT IT, SON!
WHAT IS THAT SUPPOSED TO--::
IT'S ALL SET. I JUST NEED THE PORTAL ACCESS CODES.
YOU SURE ABOUT THIS, ALYSSA?
I CAN'T GET ANY MORE DIVORCED.

NU-MOON BACKUP PORTAL.
PRIORITY OVERRIDE. ALL SENTINELS RUN A FULL SYSTEMS SWEEP FOR PORTAL INTEGRITY.
JUST IN CASE MISS MOY HAS ANY CLEVER IDEAS ABOUT--
SELF-DESTRUCT PROCEDURE VERIFIED.
KROOM
NO, YOU CRAZY WITCH! WHAT HAVE YOU DONE TO ME NOW!!
DREADNOUGHT TEAM: ABORT, ABORT!!
WE DID IT!
I DON'T THINK THAT WAS US, HON.
I'M SORRY.
HEY, SUE RICHARDS GAVE UP HER LIFE. I'VE STILL GOT THE REST OF MINE. JUST NOT EXACTLY WHERE I PLANNED TO LIVE IT.
CAN'T HE BUILD ANOTHER PORTAL?
NO. NOT FROM THIS SIDE. WE'RE STUCK WITH EACH OTHER.
ANYHOW, SOMEONE'S GOT TO SHOW YOU HOW TO WORK THE CENTRAL HEATING.
YOUR EX IS ON THE LINE.
PUT HIM ON SPEAKER.
THIS WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A WORLD FOR NORMAL MEN. BUILT BY NORMAL MEN! I'LL SEND THOSE FREAKS BACK! HOWEVER LONG IT TAKES!
DREAM ON, BUB.
AND I'D STICK TO THE POLAR REGIONS IF I WERE YOU, OVER AND OUT.

MMMH... WHAT DID I MISS?
INDEPENDENCE DAY.
WE JUST CUT THE LAST CORD.
JEEZ. WHAT DO THEY WANT NOW? WE SAVED THEM DIDN'T WE?
SAME THING WE ALL DO.
WHERE DO WE EAT?
YOU'RE GOING TO LOVE THIS.


THANKS. WHAT'S YOUR NAME?
FARMER 216, SIR. AT YOUR SERVICE. WOULD YOU PREFER THAT GAMMA GRILLED?
IT'S FINE. WHERE'S ALL THIS COME FROM?
YOU, SIR.
WE DIDN'T BRING ANY FOOD. THERE WASN'T ANY WHERE WE CAME FROM. THAT'S WHY WE LEFT.
YOUR WASTE PRODUCTS HAVE BEEN RECONSTITUTED

I'M INTO RECYCLING BUT THIS IS GROSS.
GET USED TO IT, HON.

THE END OF AGRICULTURE.
WHY NOT? WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT DIGGING UP FIELDS.

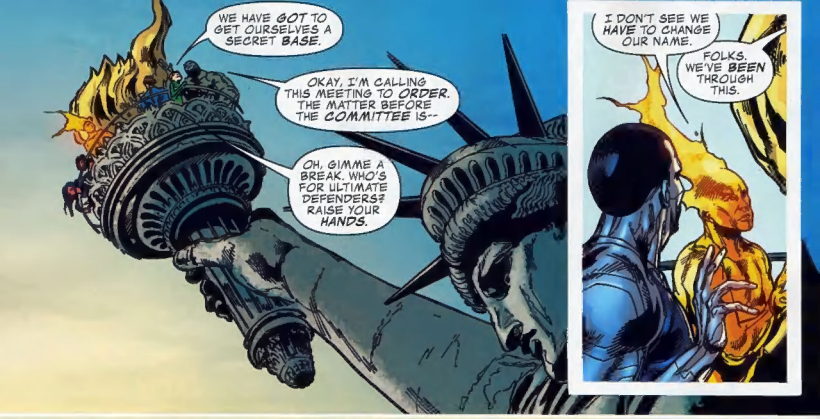
YOU NEED TO EAT SOMETHING, BABY. DID THAT SENTINEL GIVE YOU A MIGRAINE?
THERE WAS SOMEONE ELSE FIGHTING US. I FELT HER INSIDE TED CASTLE'S MIND. DRIVING HIM ON.
HE DOESN'T NEED THAT. TED'S ALWAYS HAD TROUBLE WITH THE CONCEPT OF SHARING.

YOU THINK HE HAD A TELEPATH ON HIS TEAM?
I KNOW HE DID.

THAT'S NOT POSSIBLE. TED WON'T HAVE PARANORMALS WORKING FOR HIM. HE SCREENS EVERYONE.
HIS LOSS.

I DON'T THINK SHE'S WORKING FOR HIM.

OLD EARTH. FIVE HUNDRED YEARS FROM NOW. A DEAD PLANET.
WHY DID YOU COME TO ME?
I'M NOT HERE. THIS ISN'T REAL. I'M DREAMING.
AM I NOT REAL?
NO. THEY SAID THEY TOOK EVERYONE. FUTURE EARTH IS EMPTY.
THEY LIED. WHY DO YOU DREAM OF THEIR WORLD?
I WANT TO UNDERSTAND. I--
YOU CAME BECAUSE I CALLED.
DO YOU UNDERSTAND MY ANGER NOW?
YES.
YOU WILL HELP ME HAVE MY REVENGE, TED CASTLE.


WE HAVE GOT TO GET OURSELVES A SECRET BASE.
OKAY, I'M CALLING THIS MEETING TO ORDER. THE MATTER BEFORE THE COMMITTEE IS--
OH, GIMME A BREAK. WHO'S FOR ULTIMATE DEFENDERS? RAISE YOUR HANDS.
I DON'T SEE WE HAVE TO CHANGE OUR NAME.
FOLKS, WE'VE BEEN THROUGH THIS.

THE NEW DEFENDERS WERE FORMED FOR ONE REASON: TO DEFEAT GALACTUS AND SAVE THE WORLD. IT WASN'T A SUPER TEAM, IT WAS A CONSCRIPTION OF ALL EARTH'S HEROES AND VILLAINS.
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-ONE OF WHICH DIED IN THE BATTLE. SHOULDN'T WE KEEP THE NAME TO HONOR THEM?
WE'RE IN A NEW TIME AS WELL AS A NEW WORLD. THIS ERA HAS ITS OWN DEFENDERS.
AT THE OTHER END OF A BUSTED DIMENSIONAL PORTAL. WHAT DO THEY CARE.
IT'S SYMBOLIC. IT'S PSYCHOLOGICALLY HEALTHY TO MOVE ON.

BESIDES, WE ALL DID THINGS WE WEREN'T EXACTLY PROUD OF UNDER THAT TITLE. THAT'S WHY PEOPLE CHANGE NAMES.
ENOUGH ALREADY. WHO'S FOR A REBOOT?
THREE-THREE. STATUS QUO STANDS.
NOT QUITE. CASTING VOTE.

COME ON, WE ALL KNOW WHO'S THE MOST POWERFUL ON THIS TEAM.
AND I KNOW WHAT THEY ALL THINK OF ME ALEX. NOT INTERESTED.
OKAY SO YOU CAN BE THE POWER BEHIND THE THRONE. UNLESS YOU WANT TO FIGHT ME FOR IT, CINDY?
BE MY GUEST. I PLAN ON HAVING A LIFE.
NO OFFENSE, ALEX, BUT THIS IS A JOB FOR GROWN-UPS.
BUT...HE'S AN ALIEN! HE'S NOT EVEN HUMAN! EIGHTEEN MONTHS AGO HE WAS A SUPER-VILLAIN!
ER...I DON'T KNOW IF--
CARRIED.
OH, JEEZ
SPEECH!
SO WHAT'S OUR FIRST MISSION, BOSS? NO SUPER-VILLAINS, NO HUNGER, NO WAR, NO CRIME--
OH, I WOULDN'T COUNT YOUR CHICKENS JUST YET, CHILD.

MOM?
TO BE CONTINUED...